Kagamigami カガミガミ

FILE 34: Repulse

Iwashiro Toshiaki
岩代俊明

!!
This time...! The ones to go down as the sinners who destroyed the world...
and disappear into the darkness of history will be you, Shikigami Association...!!

HE'S LIKE A TOR-NADO!!
WHAT'S WRONG!?

AAH, I
DIDN'T SUMMON THIS TO TAKE YOU DOWN.

LOOK
UP.

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KARA-SUMA-SAAAN!
WHY IS IT MY FAULT, YOU WERE THE ONE WHO ATTACKED FIRST!
OI, DON'T BLAST HIM INTO THE BUILDING, WHAT IF THERE WERE SURVIVORS THERE?
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AH, GEEZ, SAVE THE ARGUING FOR LATER!
I'M GONNA START SEARCHING THE INSIDE!
THEN,
I'LL BE GOING TO LOOK AFTER THE SURVIVORS UP ABOVE WHILE STABILIZING THE FLOORS!

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done it…!!
Now you've…

SHIDO-SAN!

HE'S JUST LIKE A COCKROACH.
HELL IF WE CAN JUST LEAVE HIM BE.
YOU JUST GOTTA KEEP BASHING 'IM IN…

HE'S MERGING WITH THEM.
SHIDO-SAN, THERE MIGHT NOT BE ANY END TO THESE GUYS…!

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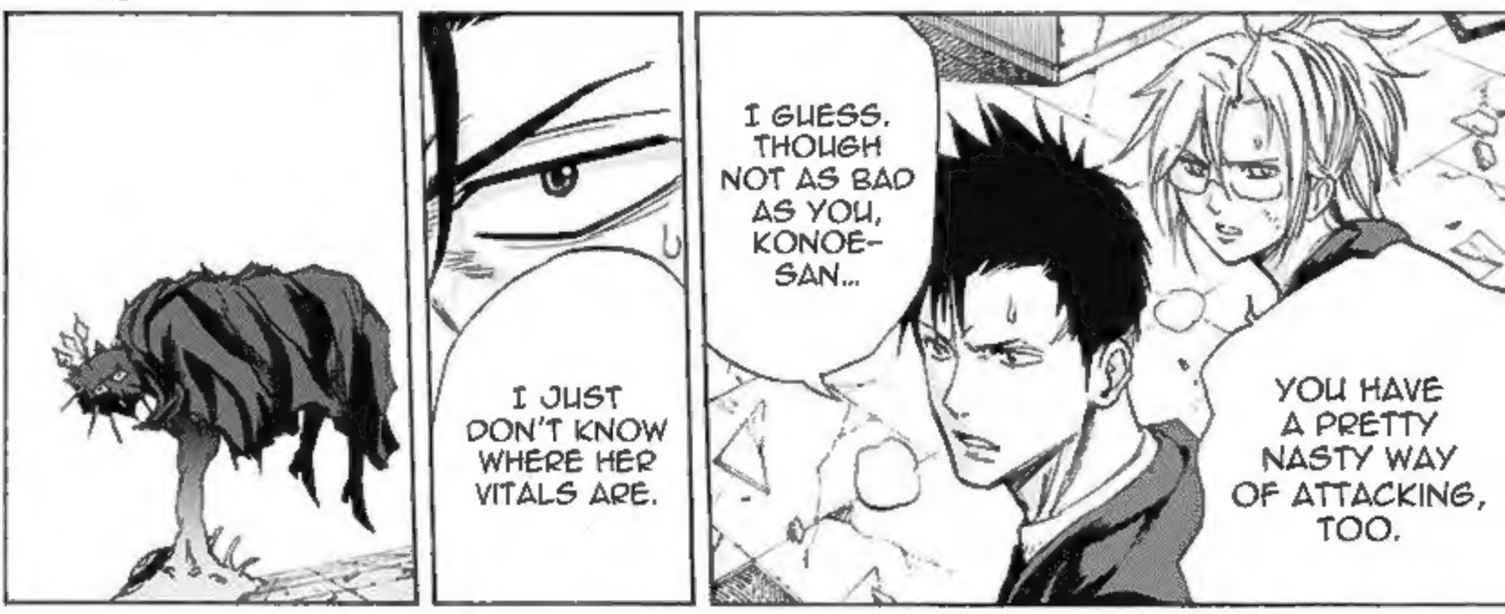
YOUR BODY HAS BEEN MOSTLY TAKEN OVER BY THE KODAMA… HOW PITIFUL.

'TIL HE STOPS MOVING.
YOU GET GOING, KARA-SUMA...!!
...

YES...IT JUST HAPPENED SO SUDDENLY WHEN I WAS LOOKING FOR MIYOSHI-SAN...
ARE YOU ALRIGHT, ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR?
AND YOU DON'T HAVE TO SPEAK FORMALLY WITH ME, KOSHIMIZU-KUN.
I'll continue with treatment.
Whew...


I JUST DON'T KNOW WHERE HER VITALS ARE.
I GUESS. THOUGH NOT AS BAD AS YOU, KONOE-SAN...
YOU HAVE A PRETTY NASTY WAY OF ATTACKING, TOO.

Just like this face that was revoltingly marred long ago,
!!
I'm more than 87% fused with them, after all.
This won't work on me.

And ever since I came here,
the spiritual energy flowing from the Deep Prison has been doing wonders for me.
organs are just an accessory to me now.

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Haa...
how you look writhing in agony...
Please do show me...

Waa aah!
RUN!!

THIS IS BAD!
AH!
Guh... uh...

WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU DOING, KONOE-SAN!?
THERE'S STILL MORE COMING!!
Kya ha ha ha ha ha!

MADNESS HARMO-NORAID
COME.
*READ AS THE "MISFORTUNATE WOMAN'S JUST INTONATION"
*KONOE'S SHIKIGAMI ATTACKS BY SCREAMING, SO WHENEVER YOU SEE THIS ア ア ア ア ア IT'S HER SCREAMING.

!!
I'LL BUY YOU SOME TIME!
BUT IF I GO ALL OUT THIS PLACE WILL BE DESTROYED!
I CAN'T JUST LEAVE YOU!!
TAKE EVERYONE AND GO WHILE YOU CAN!!
KONOE-SAN!!
I'M MANAG.NG TO HOLD BACK MY POWER SOME..
YOU...
PLEASE, LET ME TAKE RESPONSI-BILITY...
IT'S MY FAULT THINGS TURNED OUT LIKE THIS.

THAT CROW,
AS IF IT WAS FLYING IN THE GREAT SKY WITHOUT A TRACE OF ANY WIND,
AND PLUNGED RIGHT WHERE IT WANTED TO.
SPLAT
CROSSED THE BATTLE-FIELD

...AT THIS POINT IT DOESN'T MATTER IF YOU'RE A WOMAN,
BUT THIS DOES KINDA STING MY HEART
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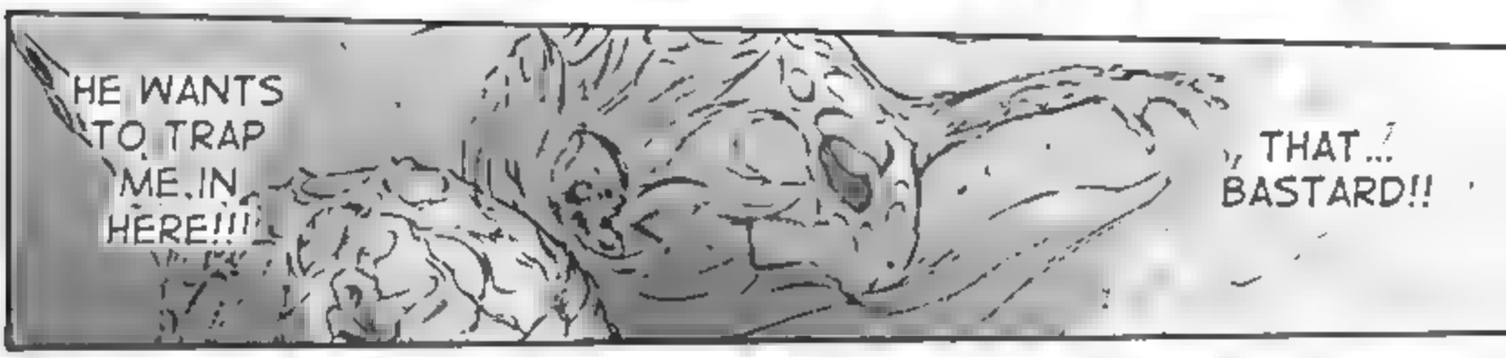
TOR!!!


HE WANTS
TO TRAP
ME IN
HERE!!!
THAT...!
BASTARD!!

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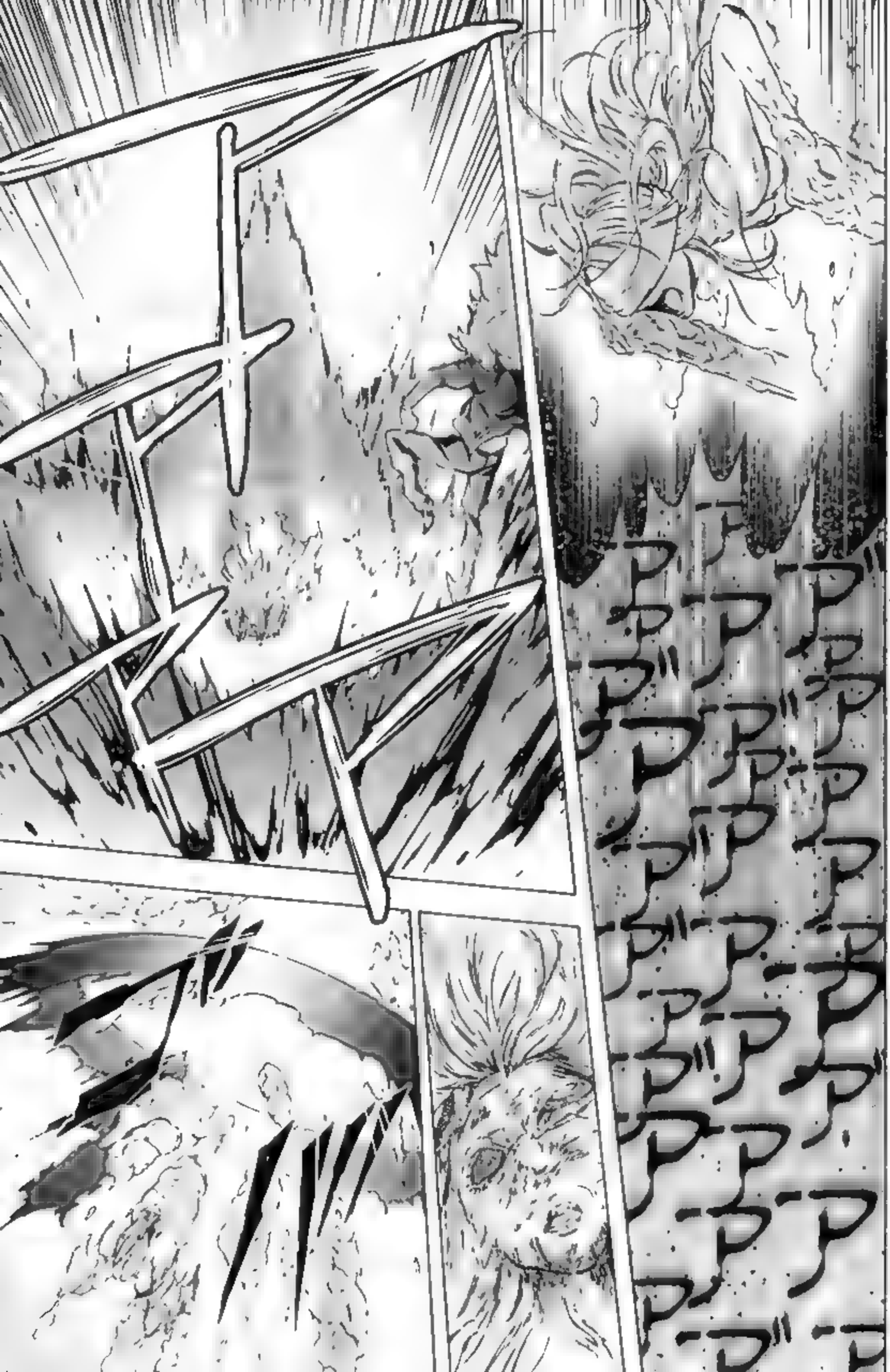
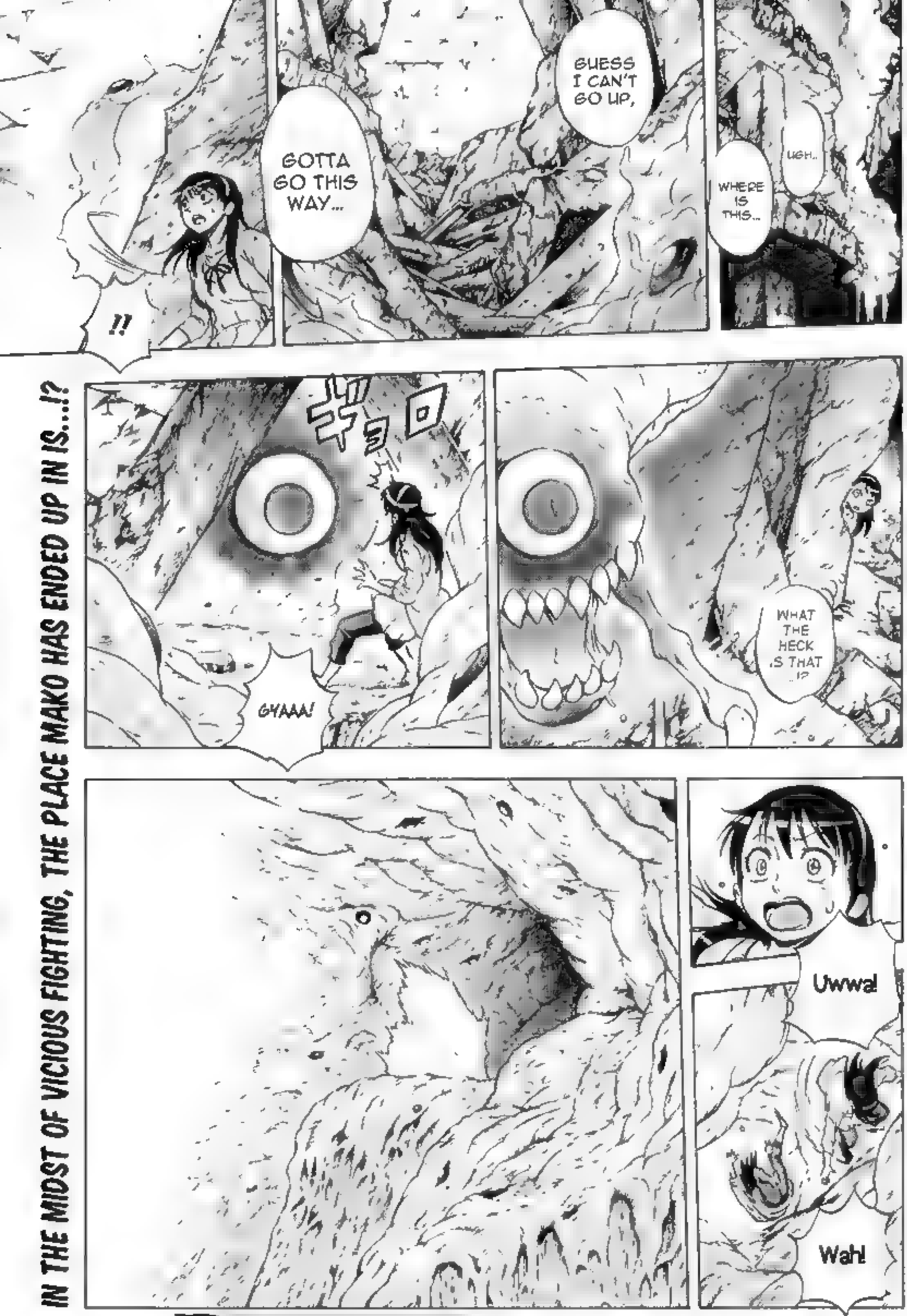

FULL POWER SCREAMING

WHOA!
...YOU REAP WHAT YOU SOW...
KOSHIMIZU, TAKE THE ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR AND GET EVERYONE OUT OF HERE FOR NOW.
I will heal you.
...GH...
...OI, OI, DON'T TELL ME...
DOES THAT MEAN...
AH... SHE FELL BELOW...
SO, WHERE IS MIYOSHI-KUN...?
IT'S TOO MUCH FOR YOU LIKE THIS..!
WE'LL TAKE CONTROL OF SAI NO KAMI BACK.
WAIT, THERE'S NO WAY I CAN...



IN THE MIDST OF VICIOUS FIGHTING, THE PLACE MAKO HAS ENDED UP IN IS...!?

NEXT TIME, THE FIERCE BATTLES SPEED UP!! WHO WILL GRASP THE FATE OF THE WORLD!?

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OW OW OW..
AAAH..
WHERE SHE FELL IS...

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IS...THIS WHOLE THING A KODAMA!?
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WHAT ...!?

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KYAA!
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THAT'S ...!?
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SOME-THING IS FLOWING OUT OF IT...!!
A RIFT IN SPACE...
FILE 35: Raison D'être
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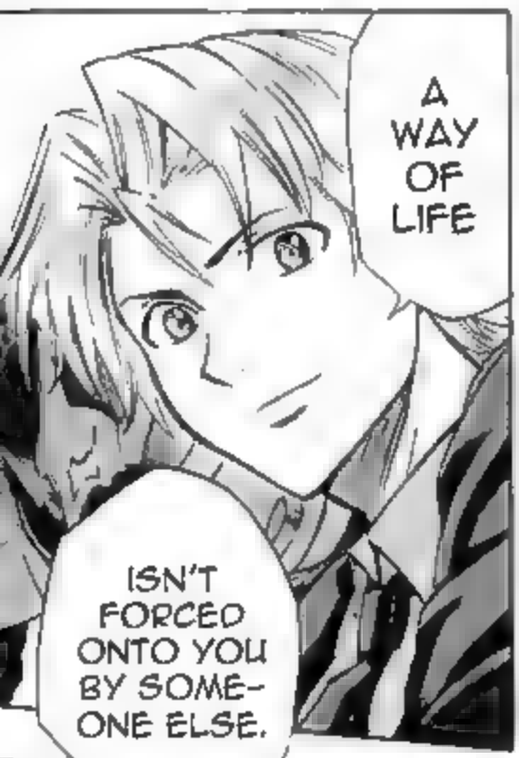
THERE WERE BODIES AT THE ENTRANCE... THIS IS HOW THEY GOT IN.
THIS IS THE SHORT-CUT?
FOR WHAT REASON DID YOU EVEN BECOME STRONG?
YOU... BECAME STRONG BECAUSE OF THE TEACHINGS OF THE KAGAMI...
BECAUSE YOU HAVE TO STOP THIS "CALAMITY," THE DEEP PRISON?
KA-GAMI.
ME 'N KYOU-SUKE...
YEAH, THAT'S RIGHT, THAT'S WHAT I'VE BEEN SAYING!
NO.

WHAT ABOUT YOU?
I WANT TO BE STRONG SO I CAN PROTECT THE PEOPLE RIGHT IN FRONT OF ME...!
THAT'S HOW IT USED TO BE.
BUT NOW,
INU-BOSHI!!


A WAY OF LIFE

ISN'T FORCED ONTO YOU BY SOME-ONE ELSE.

IT ISN'T ABOUT WINNING OR LOSING,
INU-BOSHI.

SO YOU'VE COME TO STOP BOU.
NO ONE WILL BE PASSING THROUGH, AND NO ONE WILL BE RETURNING SHOULD THEY LIVE.

They're closing in.

IF YOU GUYS HAVE A BIT MORE BITE,
GO AHEAD AND MAKE MY DAY.
I'M TIRED OF HUNTING THESE ASSOCI-ATION WORMS...
EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU... SO DAMN ANNOYING...
WHY YOU ....!!
I'M IN THE MOOD TO LOSE CONTROL.
YOU TWO GO ON AHEAD.
I'LL TAKE CARE OF THIS ONE...!

SO HURRY UP AND GET GOING.
YOUR TASK IS TO CLOSE THAT RIFT, ISN'T IT?
STAY OUT OF THIS.
INU-BOSHI ...!

KEEP YOUR TRAP SHUT, YOU INSIG-NIFICANT WORM.
NO ONE IS LISTEN-ING TO YOU.
NO ONE WILL BE PASSING THROUGH.
DIDN'T YOU HEAR ME?

IS THAT SO?
AAH,

GO, KAGA-MI.
AND YOU... SUMERAGI, GO PROTECT
WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO YOU
WITH THAT SO-CALLED WAY OF LIVING YOU DECIDED FOR YOURSELF...!

WHEN EVERY-THING IS OVER,
IF YOU STILL HAVE SOMETHING YOU WANNA SAY TO ME,
I'LL SAVE A FIGHT FOR YOU.

GO.

LET'S GO, KYOU-SUKE!!

IT'S FINE, INUBOSHI IS OVER-POWERING HIM...!

DIRECTOR!! THERE ARE SOME SURVI-VORS ON THE VIEWING FLOOR!
HAVE YOU COME TO?
GOT IT, I'M HEADING OVER TO HELP!!

...ISN'T THERE SOMETHING ELSE YOU SHOULD BE DOING?
.....
WHERE'S MY RAZOR... I HAVE TO MAKE ANOTHER CUT...
..HAH..?
EEP!
A PER-SON...?

YOU'VE SET UP QUITE THE BARRIER HERE.
TSU-KUMA DAI-KAKU...

IF I LET UP, IT QUICKLY STARTS TO RESEAL...!

I'M NOT GETTING ANYWHERE AT THIS RATE...

HAVING APPEARED 12 YEARS AGO... AND UNABLE TO BE DES-TROYED--
THE RIFT TO THE DEEP PRISON THAT THE GOVERNMENT AND ASSOCI-ATION SEALED WITH A BARRIER AND HID...

JUST A BIT MORE AND I'LL BE ABLE TO GO BACK THERE...
JUST A BIT MORE...
NO NO, I HAVE TO DO SOMETHING!
AFTER ALL...
WHAT DO I DO? RUN?
BUT HE'S DEFINITELY THE ONE WHO STARTED THIS WHOLE MESS...!
I DUNNO WHAT HE'S DOING...
I MAY NOT BE ABLE TO KICK A SOCCER BALL AND I MAY NOT HAVE ANY LITTLE GRAY CELLS,
BUT I AM DETECTIVE MIYOSHI MAKO...!!
YAH!
HEY, WHAT THE!?

DON'T COME OVER HERE!!
!?
!!

*THERE = THE DEEP PRISON

!!
WELL PLAYED.
IT'S SAID THAT BACK THEN, THERE WAS A CLAN THAT COULD PASS BETWEEN THE TWO WORLDS AS THEY PLEASED.
A LONG LONG TIME AGO, THERE WAS A TIME WHEN HERE AND THERE WERE CONNECTED BY A TINY LITTLE RIFT.
THERE'S A STORY PASSED ALONG THE TSUIRAGI.
YOU
HAVE A PRETTY INTERE-STING POWER.

HUMANS WHO SAW THE TRUTH OF THE KODAMA'S WORLD.
TO THINK THAT, IN THIS DAY AND AGE, THERE WOULD BE SOMEONE WHOSE BLOOD AWAKENED AND ENDED UP HERE.
THAT POWER WILL BE VERY USEFUL TO ME. HOW LUCKY YOU ARE.
LET HER GO!!
LET G...
KYOU-SUKE-KUN!!
EH, THIS!?
THIS IS HOLLOW RABBIT!?
...AAAHAA, YOU'RE FROM BACK THEN..!
YOU'RE THAT INSUFF-ERABLE GUY...!!
SO YOU'RE HOLLOW RABBIT...!!
THIS TIME, YOU WON'T BE GETTING AWAY...!!
GET AWAY FROM MAKO-SAN!
I'm pretty busy today,
but I've been waiting for you.

HAH!?
I'VE TAKEN A LIKING TO THIS WOMAN, SO I'LL BE TAKING HER.
I'M GONNA MAKE HER MY BRIDE.
COME ON, TRY TAKING HER BACK BY FORCE.
I WON'T MESS UP LIKE I DID BEFORE.
THIS TIME I'M PLAYING FOR KEEPS...!
HOLLOW RABBIT MARK 2!
THE MESSENGER OF THE END LEAPS!!

I'LL SHOW YOU
THEY'RE MERGING TOGE-THER...!?
MY MOST POWERFUL SHIKIGAMI
THAT I CREATED JUST TO DEFEAT YOU!
NOW, LEAPING STRAIGHT TOWARDS THE CALAMITY—!!
HOLLOW RABBIT MARK 2 "PERIOD MAKER"...!!

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FILE 36: For This Moment

THIS IS THE TRUE POWER OF ONE WHO CARRIES THE BLOOD OF THE TSUIRAGI CLAN...
THE WHOLE AREA IS SHAKING...!!
HIS HYOU-RYOKU HAS SHOT UP ALL OF A SUDDEN...!!
His hyou-ryoku is...!!

THE TSUIRAGI FAMILY ARE DESCEN-DANTS...
OF HUMANS WHO ORIGINALLY LIVED IN THE DEEP PRISON...!
THEY USED HECTOHELL'S ATMOSPHERE FOR POWER...
AND HAD THE POWER TO CONTROL THE KODAMA
WITH THEIR INNATE AND ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF HYOURYOKU...!!

WEL-
COME.
YOUR BATTLE HAS REACHED ITS FINAL DESTINATION.
THIS PRIDE OF MINE THAT YOU SMASHED TO DUST...
HAS GROWN TO BE THIS BIG!!
HERE HE COMES!!

WAH!
WAH!
Accept it!
KYOU-SUKE!!

ZAN BARR-IER!!!
THANKS, ZANKI-MARU!!
NUW-AAH!
He's a persis-tent one!
!!

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KAI-
TO!!
BURN!!!

IT'S NOTH-ING...!!
VERMI-LION...!

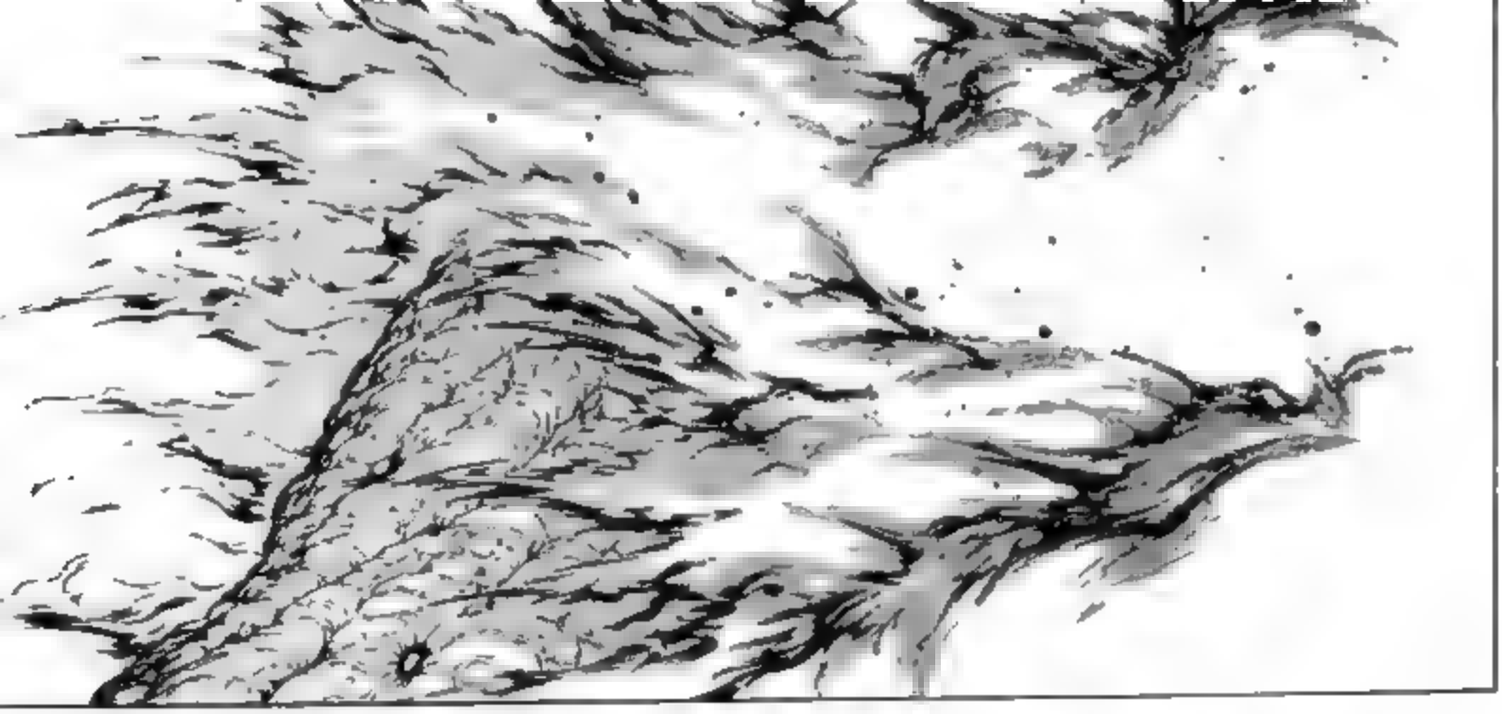
IT'S MY DUTY TO PROTECT YOU.
THIS IS NOTHING.

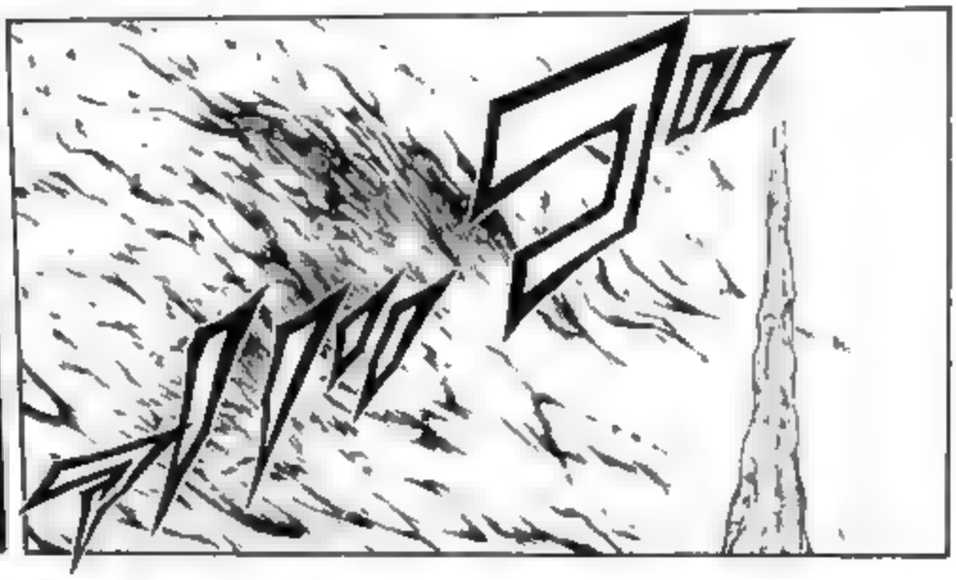
KYOU-SUKE,
NOW GO...
GO WIPE THE FLOOR WITH HIM.
VERMILION AND I WILL COVER YOU.

IT WAS FOR THIS MOMENT.

SO YOU SAVE MAKO-SAN AND THE WORLD.

JUST HANG IN HERE WITH ME 'TIL THE END.
HERE WE GO, VERMI-LION...!!!
!!
I BECAME STRONG FOR RIGHT NOW,
FOR THIS MOMENT!
BURN!!!

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HOLLOW RABBII IIIT!
So you've finally made it!!

I've been waiting to beat your brains out!

Too bad for you, nyah-nyah!!!
Did you think you'd defeat me with one punch again!?

powered up to the max!

This place is filled with the Deep Prison's atmosphere...!
Right now, I'm...

RASHOU-MARU...!!
AH...!
GRR...
GRR!
THANKS FOR COMING TO SAVE ME...

HAH!!!
RA AAH!
HAA...
WHY ...!?
HA- AH...
HA- AH...
WHY...
...ARE YOU GETTING STRONGER TOO...!?
I'M CLEARLY SUPPOSED TO BE GETTING STRONGER THAN YOU...!
WITH ALL THIS SPIRITUAL POWER FROM THE DEEP PRISON...

IT CAN'T BE...
THE DEEP PRISON'S SPIRITUAL POWER...!?
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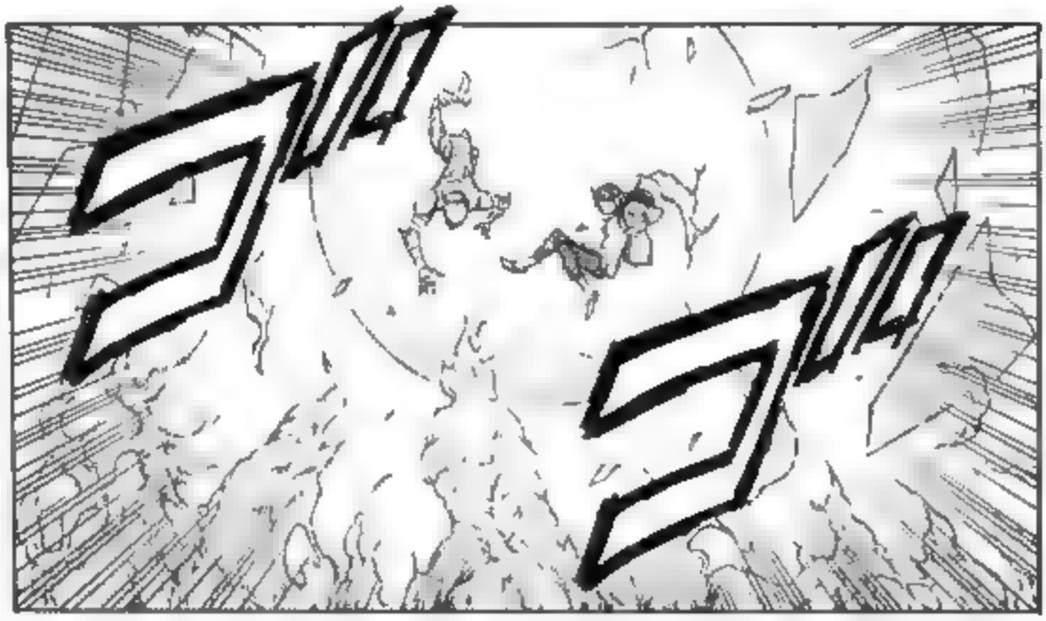
……?
!
ARE YOU A HUMAN FROM OVER THERE AS WELL...?
THERE MUST NOT BE ENOUGH SPIRITUAL POWER FROM THE DEEP PRISON!
THAT'S IT..
TO OVER-COME YOU, I NEED MORE...
MORE ...!!
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT...
NO, THAT'S NOT POSSI-BLE...!!

MORE OF THAT RIFT TO BE OPEN...!!
I'LL USE THAT WOMAN!!!!
YES,
WHA!?
MAKO!!!

GREAT BRIDGE OF KODAMA LIGHT
THAT CONNECTS THIS WORLD TO THERE,

NEXT TIME, THE END OF THE WORLD!? WHAT IS THE FATE OF MAKO AND KYOUSUKE!?

FILE 37: Beyond the Chasm



*OUR = THE TSUIRAGI'S

GET OUT OF MY WAY.
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MAKO!!
SHE'S BEING DRAGGED INTO THE DEEP PRISON!!!
It's not over yeeet!!
!!
YOU ...!!

LIKE I'D LET YOU!!!
then 12 years ago, because of that distortion with the rift, you just happened to...
!!
you really did come from the Deep Prison...
...If

THIS IS BAD,
THINGS ARE BREAKING APART!
LIKE I CARE!
KYOU-SUKEE!!
MAKO --!
I'M COM-ING TO SAVE YOU --!!!
!!

HEEH.
GIVE IT YOUR BEST SHOT.
MOVE IT!

THE RIFT IS...!
!!
AT THIS RATE THE WORLD WILL BE DESTR-OYED--
WE'LL BELIEVE IN KAGAMI AND THE OTHERS..!
YOU DON'T NEED TO PULL BACK YET!! MOVE AS YOU WISH, KARASUMA!!
IT'S BEGUN!!
EVERY-ONE HURRY BACK!!
Direc-tor!!
.....!
I'M COUNTING ON YOU, KAGAMI-KUN!
THANKS!!
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Guh...

GUESS I WAS THE STRONGER ONE!
OHH...? WHAT'S WRONG?
YOU'RE SUDDENLY MOVING A LOT SLOWER.
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AT A TIME LIKE THIS...!!
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IT'S NOT YOUR DOING,
YOU FUCK ...!
GAA!
kill
THE LIKES OF YOU GETTING SO FULL OF YOUR
selves.
AAAH, SHUT IT.
SHUT IT AND KNEEL, SHIKIGAMI ASSOCI-ATION...!
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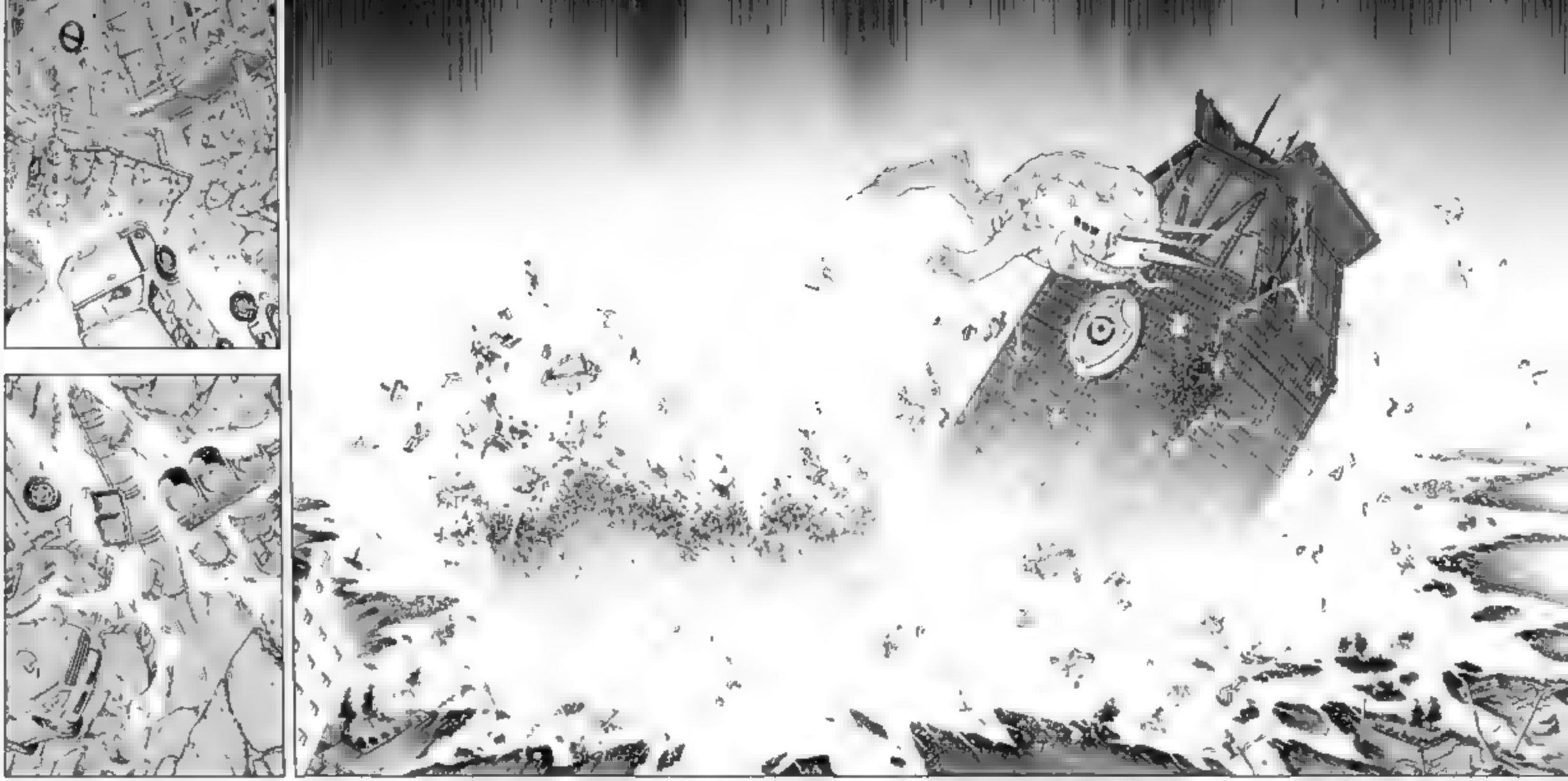
HERE'S A WARN-ING!!
YOU'RE A DEAD MAN!!!
I'M VERY SORRY FOR BEING LATE...!!

I'VE BROUGHT WATER AND YOUR MEDICINE,
RUKA-SAMA.

KNEEL ...?
STOP SCREWING AROUND, HOW DARE YOU
ACT IN SUCH AN INSOLENT WAY TOWARDS RUKA-SAMAAA...!!

FU...
THE ENTIRE ASSOCI-ATION BUILDING IS SINKING!
WE HAVE TO GET OUT OF HERE, RUKA-SAN!
KIRU-HIKO.
LEND ME YOUR SHOUL-DER,
EVERYONE GET UP ONTO KUSHINADA ALREADY!
WE'RE LEAV-ING!
HEY, NO DRAGGING YOUR FEET!

WE'RE GOING TO BE SWALL-OWED UP!!
I GET IT!!!
HURRY! KEEP GOING UP, KOUHEI!
DAMN...



KUUUK...
GRR...

A BROKEN WORLD!! SHE AWAKES IN A FOREIGN WORLD!!

THE COLLAPSE OF THE WORLD BEGINS!! KYOUSUKE AND THE OTHERS ARE--!

TO THINK I'D COME ALL THE WAY OUT HERE...

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THE ONE WHO CAME TO HELP IS...

"THE TWILIGHT SPACE"...

THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN OUR WORLD AND THE DEEP PRISON,

WHERE ARE THEY...!

IT'S ALMOST LIKE THE DARKNESS IS CLOSING IN.

...YOU MUST'VE WANTED TO GO BACK TO KYOUSUKE-KUN.

...RA-SHOU-MARU.

THANK YOU FOR PROTECT-ING ME.

LET'S GO TOGE-THER.

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Aahh
I finally
made it
back

But

it was
fun
I guess

but
now it's
the end
huh

No

they might still be there even now

there were once people living there

Hey, look

On the other side of that deep darkness

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.....

SHIRO-KUN!

MAKO!!

YEP.

SO YOU WERE SAFE.

I'M GLAD YOU'RE OKAY.

C'MON, KYOU-SUKE-KUN!

NOW LET'S GET ON OUT OF THIS DANGEROUS PLACE, PRONTO.

THE KODAMA ARE GOING TOWARDS OUR WORLD...

...YES.

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!

...?

WE STILL HAVE SOMETHING WE NEED TO DO.

...MAKO.

I'M SORRY...

YOU DID WELL TOO...

I GUESS THIS IS...

WHERE I SAY GOODBYE TO KYOUSUKE...

Hunh?

HE'S GOING WITH HAKU TO SEAL THAT RIFT.

……!!

HERE YOU ARE!

I CAN'T JUST TELL HIM SOMETHING LIKE "DON'T GO!", RIGHT...?

WHAT DO I SAY TO HIM HERE AT THE END...?

HEY...

I CAN'T MOVE FORWARD EVEN ONE STEP FROM HERE...!

I

DON'T WANT TO BE A BOTHER...

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NO, THAT CAN'T BE...

WHY DO YOU HAVE TO STAY HERE...?

THIS IS MY MISSION.

12 YEARS AGO... EVER SINCE I WAS RESCUED FROM THE MOUNTAINS... I WAS RAISED AT THE KAGAMI.

THAT AND THIS WERE BOTH FOR THE SAKE OF TODAY...

THIS IS SOMETHING ONLY I CAN DO...

I'M GOING ON.

IN ORDER TO STOP THE CALAMITY AND SAVE A BUNCH OF PEOPLE,

THANK YOU FOR EVERY-THING!

PLEASE HOLD ONTO

RA-SHOU-MARU FOR ME.

SEE YOU LATER!

I'M LEAVING ZANKIMARU TO YOU, KAITO!

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YOU BET!

RIGHT!

THIS WON'T BE...

WHERE WE SAY GOODBYE.

PLEASE DON'T WORRY!!

IT'S NOT LIKE I'M GOING TO MY DEATH!

THOUGH I MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO MEET WITH YOU ALL AGAIN FOR A BIT AFTER SEALING THAT RIFT...!

LET'S GO LOOK FOR

THESE PEOPLE WHO MIGHT KNOW ME.

...EH?

J-JUST TALKING TO MYSELF!

AND KARASUMA-SAN TOO! STAY IN GOOD HEALTH!!

OKAY THEN, KAITO!!

MAKO-SAN!

See ya!

THANK YOU.

EVERYONE.

WHAT IT WAS THAT I NEEDED TO PROTECT...

IF I'D STAYED ALL ALONE IN THAT CAVE OF THE KAGAMI, I WOULD NEVER HAVE KNOWN

ALL OF YOUR FACES COME TO MIND.

BUT NOW

THAT I MET YOU ALL.

I'M SO GLAD

YOU GOT IT!

LET'S DO THIS, HAKU...!

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TAKE CARE !!!

BYE BYE, EVERY-ONE!!

THIS IS... A CERTAIN SHIKIGAMI-USER'S

STORY OF COURAGE AND CHOICE

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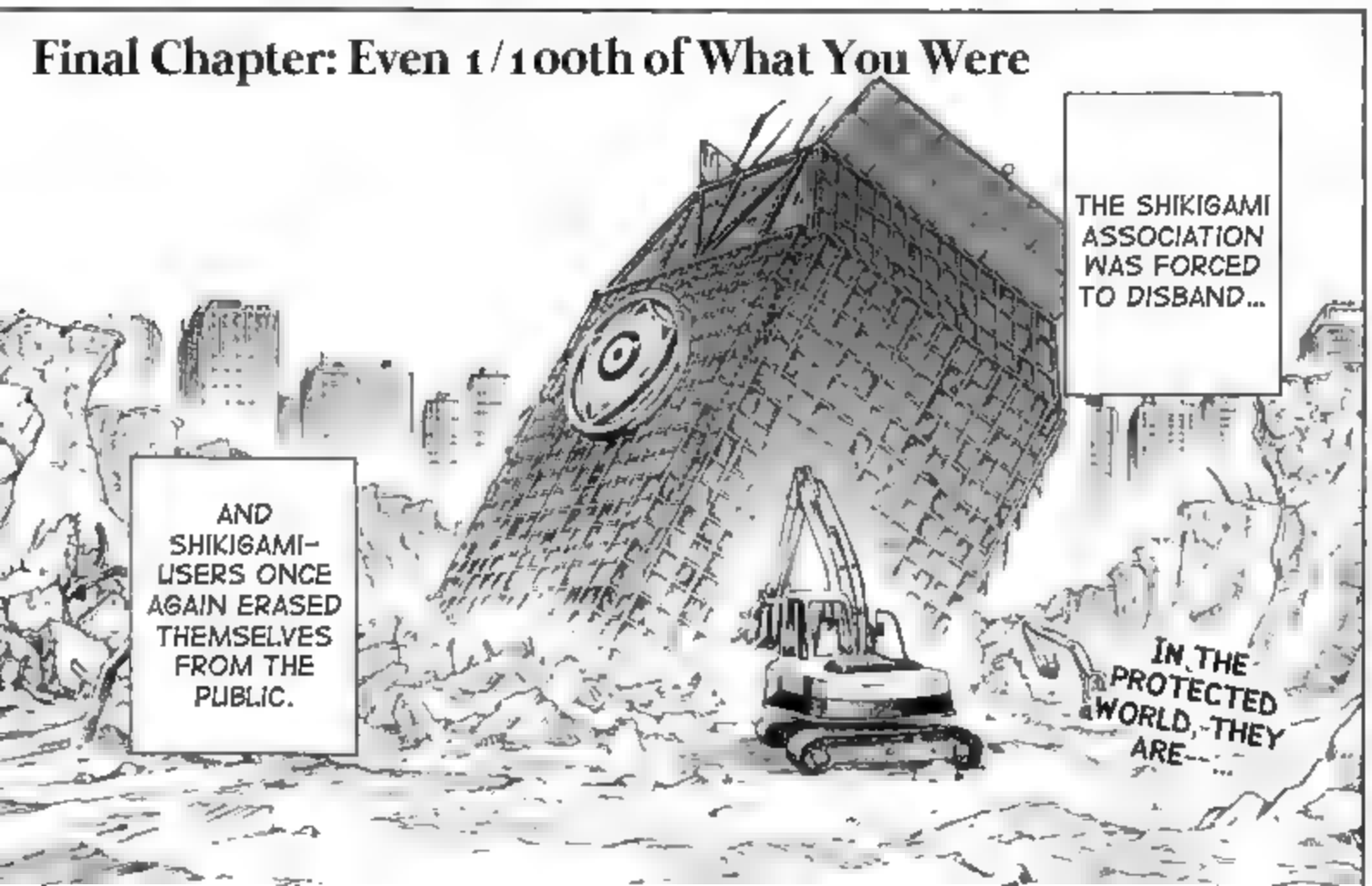
Final Chapter: Even 1/100th of What You Were



AND
--...

IN THE OFFICE OF THE MIYOSHI DETECTIVE AGENCY.
THERE IS NO TRACE OF HIM

Kuku
So you've finally found me.
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and the Shikigami Association is now despised by the world...
Go ahead... Bou is here no longer
YOU HAVE TO DIE.
NOT BECAUSE OF ANYONE'S ORDERS, BUT BECAUSE OF MY OWN WILL.

WHO THE HELL WANTS SOMETHIN' LIKE THAT.
Such fools... if only you'd let us do as we pleased,
we could've changed this world to one where dog eats dog and Shikigami power is all that matters...

I'D ONLY BE IN THE WAY AT THE TOP OF A NEW ORGA-NIZATION.
YOU'RE REALLY OKAY WITH THIS...?
IF HE EVER WANTS HELP I'LL STOP BY.
GIVE MY REGARDS TO KARA-SUMA.
ゴオオ……

A TIME WILL COME WHEN YOU'LL ALL BE NEEDED.
DON'T LET YOUR-SELVES GO UNDER UNTIL THEN
SHIDO..
EVEN IF YOU'RE HATED...AND MISUNDER-STOOD...

UNDER-STOOD.

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HERE THEY ARE
IT'S BEEN A WHILE, SUMERAGI LADIES AND GENT.
YOU HAVEN'T BEEN SLACKING ON YOUR TRAINING AND LOSING YOUR TOUCH, HAVE YOU?
SO WHAT DO YOU HAVE FOR US?
1 year is too boong!
HEH, WE'VE BEEN HONING OUR SKILLS AND WAITING TO BE CALLED UP!
IT'S SOMETHING ONLY WE CAN DO.

IN ORDER TO GAIN POWER, THEY SLIP INTO SOCIETY...
HUNT PEOPLE DOWN, AND STEAL THEIR LIFE FORCE...
A LARGE AMOUNT OF KODAMA THAT CAME HERE FROM HECTOHELL
HAVE BEGUN TAKING OVER HUMANS.

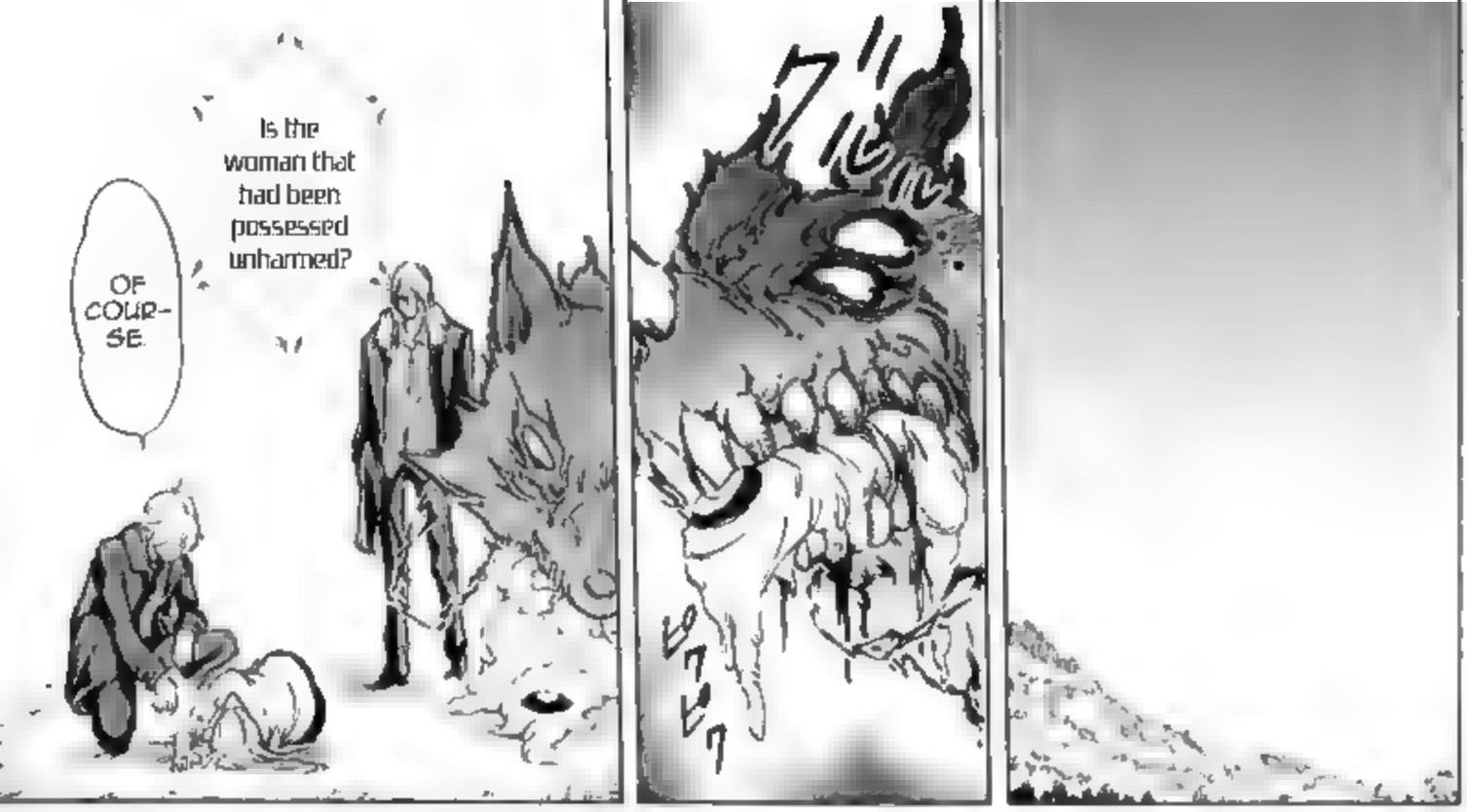
WE'VE GOT TO TAKE CARE OF THIS BEHIND THE SCENES BEFORE PEOPLE START FREAKING OUT.
.....!!

SO THEN HOW...?
IT'S PRETTY IMPOSSIBLE TO TELL THEM APART
YEAH, THEY LOOK JUST LIKE ANY OTHER PERSON.
THE ONES WHO HAVE TAKEN OVER HUMANS...

SHE MADE HER WAY BACK FROM HECTOHELL WITH HER POWER EVOLVED...!
WE'VE GOT A CERTAIN SOMEONE ON OUR SIDE.

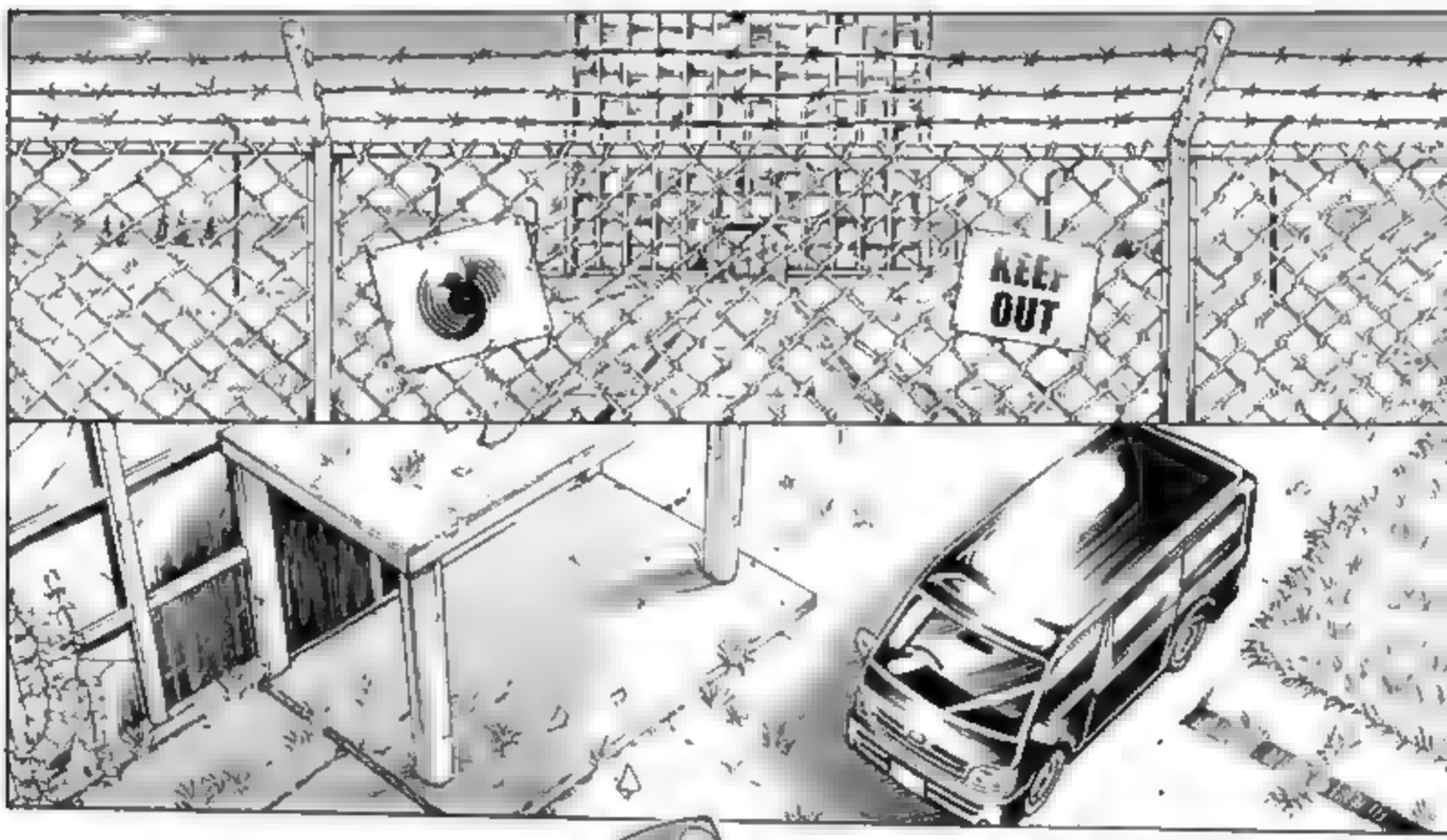
A GREAT DETECTIVE.
IT'S A KODAMA.
RUKA-SAMA, WE'VE GOT CONFIR-MATION.
YES.
GOT IT.

HELLO.
WE'D LIKE TO ASK A FEW QUESTIONS REGARDING THE RECENT DISAPPEAR-ANCES
OF QUITE A FEW PEOPLE IN THIS NEIGHBOR-HOOD.
JUST HURRY UP AND SHOW YOURSELF.
WE'VE ALREADY SEEN RIGHT THROUGH YOU.


Is the woman that had been possessed unharmed?
OF COUR-SE.
7"
DUNK

I NEED SOMETHING TO EAT...
NOW WE LEAVE THE REST TO KONOE-SAN AND KOSHI-MIZU-SAN.

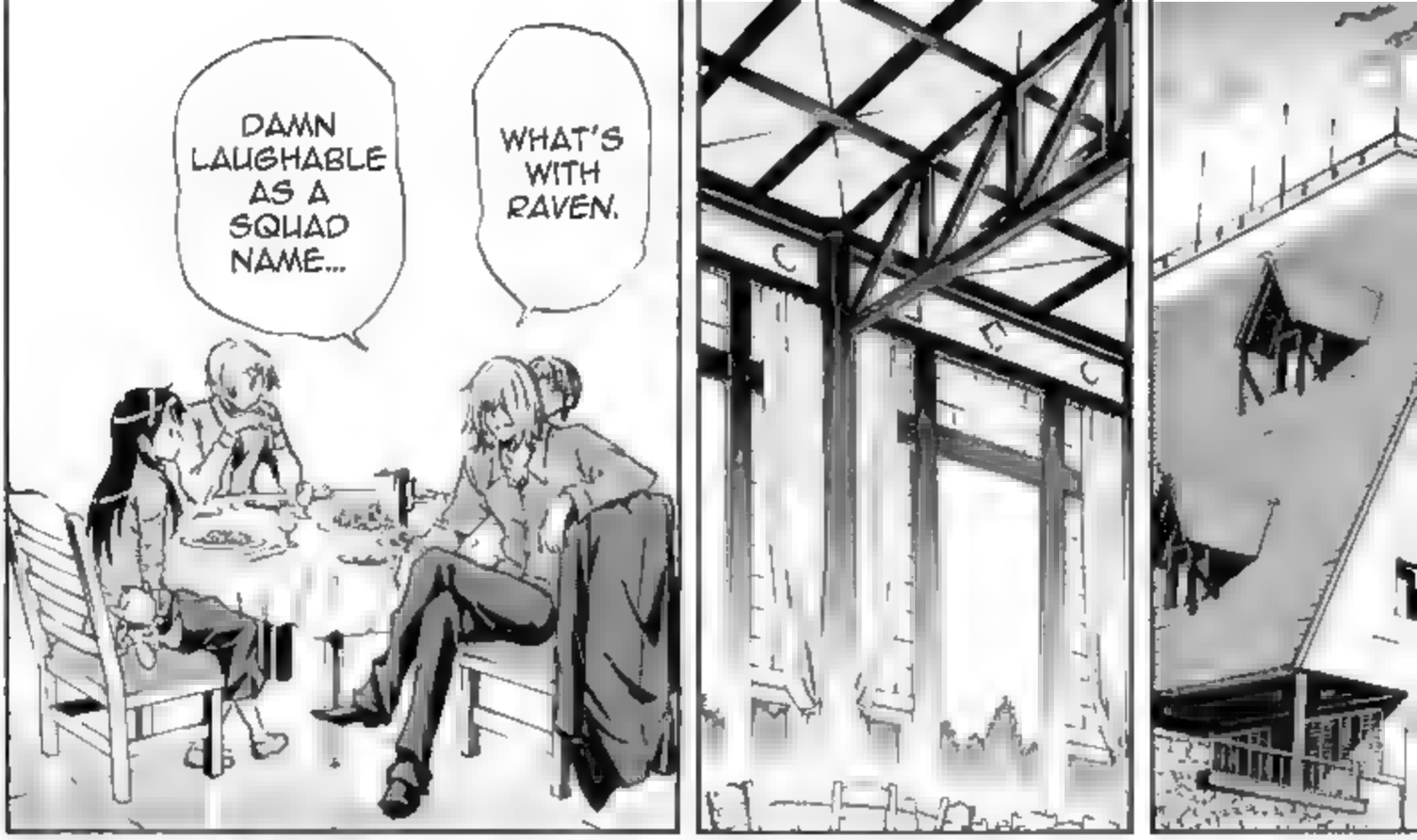
BUT EVER SINCE THEN ALL THIS POWER WELLS UP WITHIN ME WHEN I'M WITH THIS LITTLE GUY.
HMM...
... DUNNO...
I'M NOT SURE WHY IT'S EVOLVED INTO THIS,
WHEW, I'M GLAD
SO...WHY CAN YOU TELL THEM APART?


KEEP
OUT

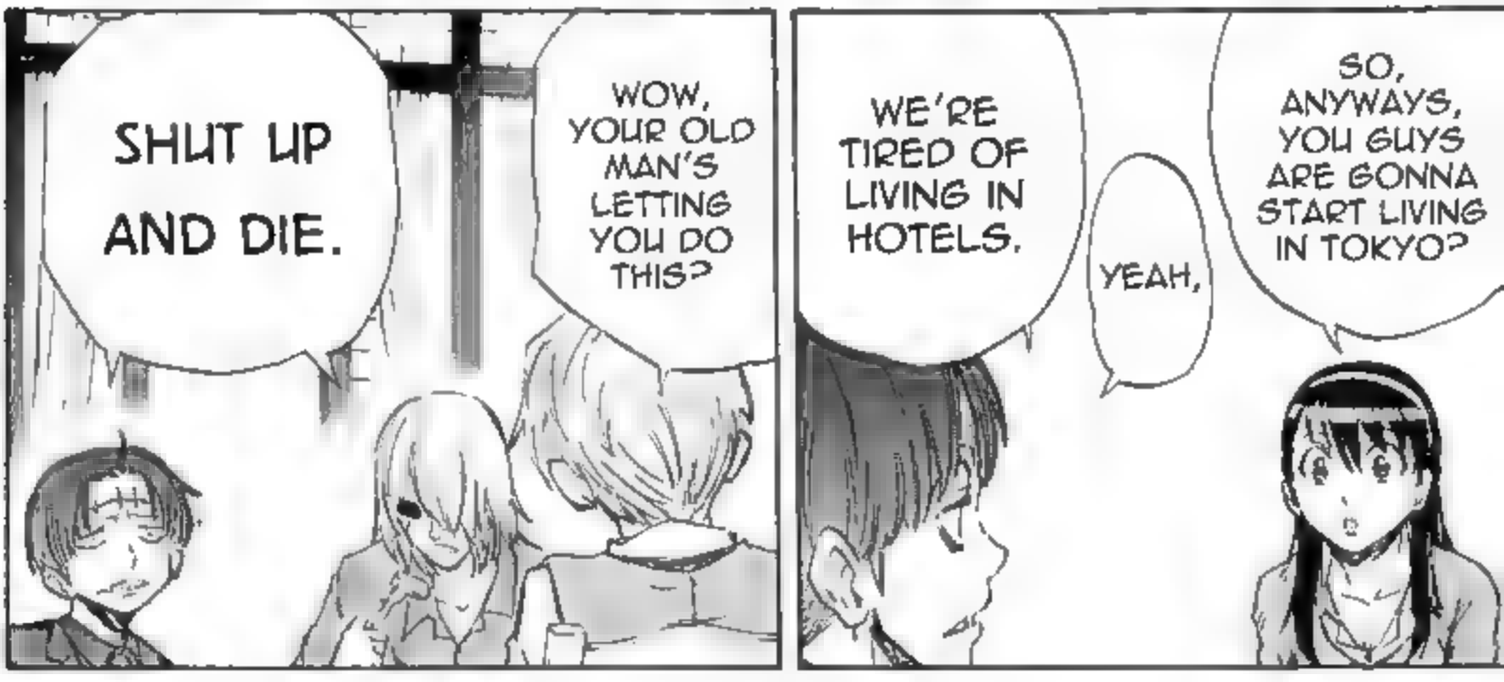
THE ONLY ONES WHO KNOW AND APPROVE OF OUR EXISTENCE ARE A SMALL PORTION OF THE GOVERNMENT.
COME ON IN!
WELL, HERE WE ARE.
THIS IS OUR SQUAD'S BASE.

*READ AS "BLACK CROW/RAVEN"

Hahahahaha
I'm just Himetsuri
I'm squad commander Karasuma
I'm vice commander Shido
YOU SURE DIDN'T WASTE ANY TIME TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THINGS, KARASUMA FACTION...!!


DAMN LAUGHABLE AS A SQUAD NAME...
WHAT'S WITH RAVEN.

AAH!?
SHUT UP AND DIE.
I DON'T SEE ANYTHING WRONG WITH IT.
YOU'RE STILL GOING ON ABOUT THAT?


SHUT UP AND DIE.
WOW, YOUR OLD MAN'S LETTING YOU DO THIS?
WE'RE TIRED OF LIVING IN HOTELS.
YEAH,
SO, ANYWAYS, YOU GUYS ARE GONNA START LIVING IN TOKYO?

GEEZ
PIRORIN

HEY, PIPE DOWN YOU GUYS!!!
AAH!?
EXCUSE ME, BUT COULD YOU PLEASE BE A LITTLE MORE..
HUUUH!?

Things going well over there, great detective?

Miyoshi Mako
MAKO
They're eating lunch together even though they get along like oil and water.
MAKO
And I'm not a great detective!!

Are you still over there, even now...?
What are you doing, Kyousuke-kun...?

I wonder if I can be of some use to someone now--...

I want to see you again.

be even 1/100th of what you were.

.....?
Why can you recognize us ?
I don't like you
!!
You need
to de

MAKO-SAN!!
WHAT...
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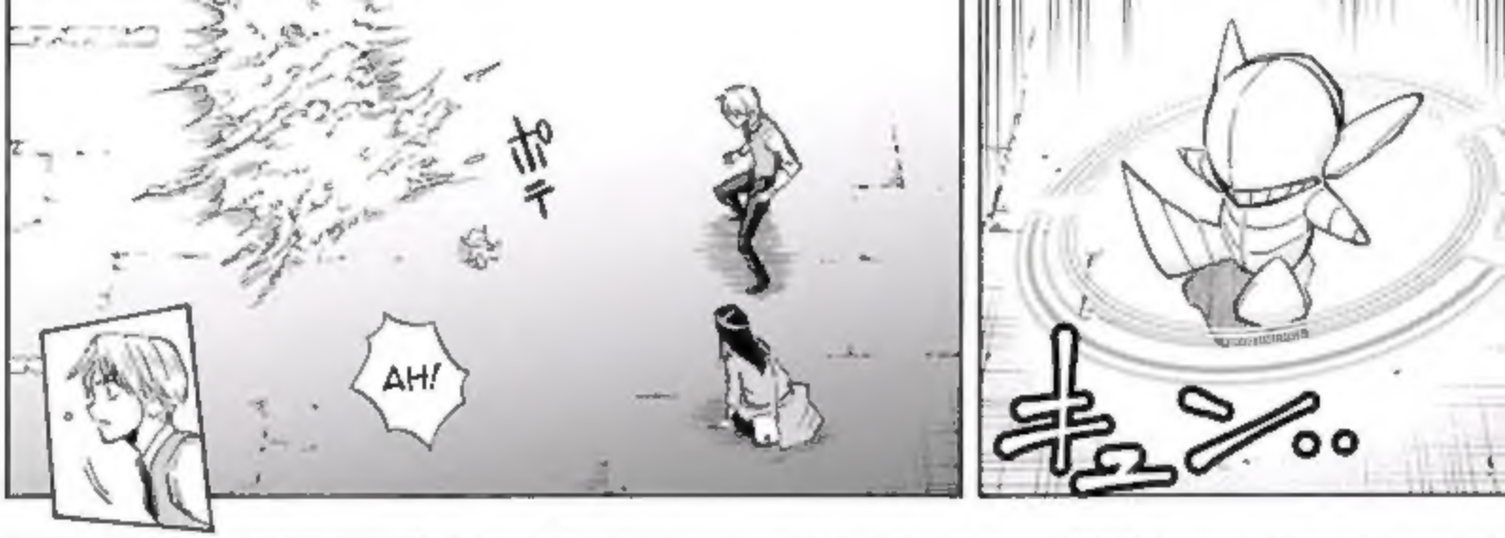
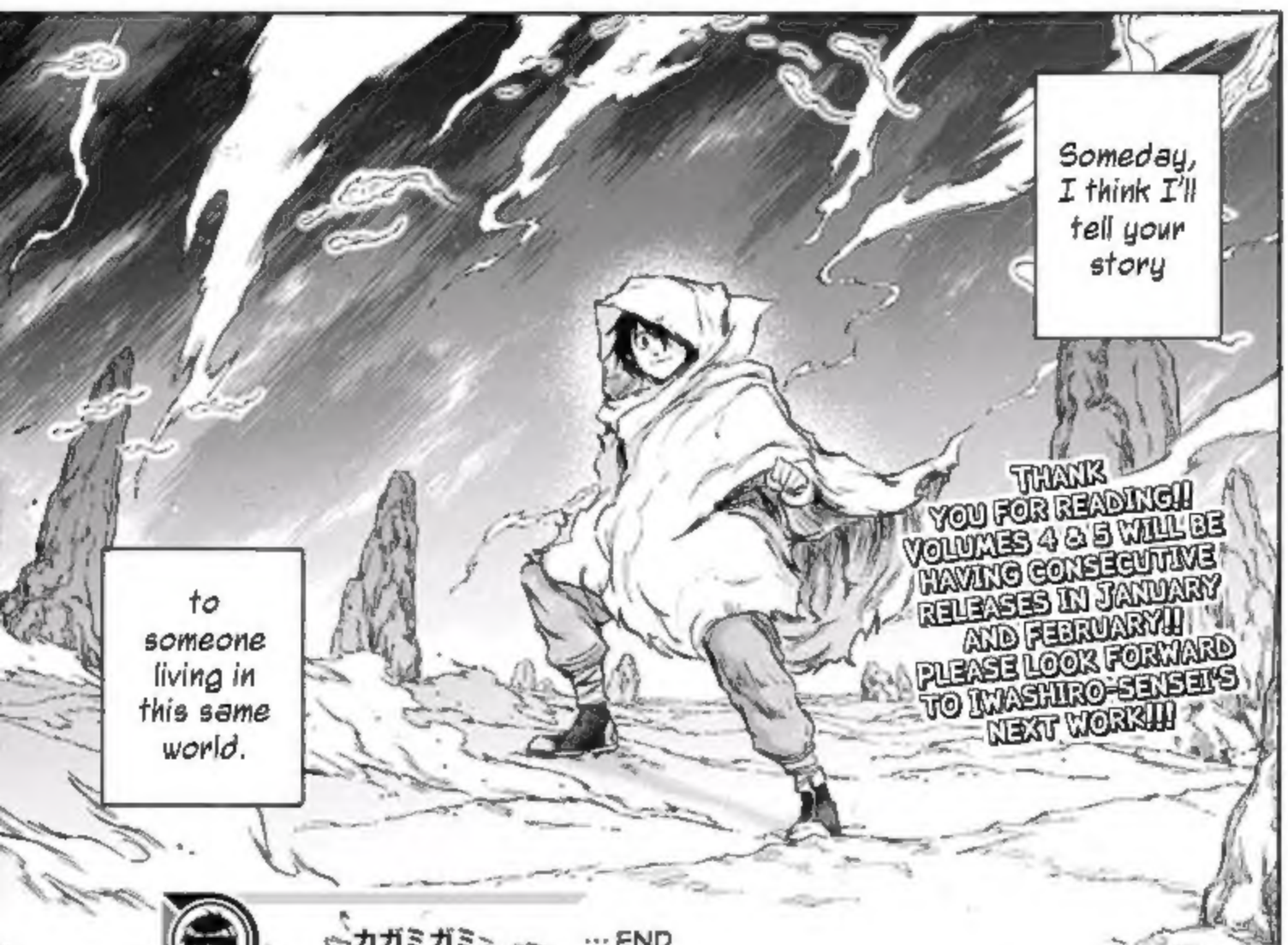


Every time I see this stuffed toy, I remember

those days I spent with you.


Someday, I think I'll tell your story
to someone living in this same world.
THANK YOU FOR READING!! VOLUMES 4 & 5 WILL BE HAVING CONSECUTIVE RELEASES IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY!! PLEASE LOOK FORWARD TO IWASHIRO-SENSEI'S NEXT WORK!!!

カガミガミ … END